

To Captain W.O. Breedlove July 1 1901

Commanding Houston Cavalry

Desiring to enlist in your company, I hereby make application for enlistment, and pledge myself to conform to the militia law, rules and regulations of this State and by-laws of the company, I have never been dishonorably discharged from any organization of the Texas Volunteer Guards.

Age 18 y 3 m

Weight 127

Hair light

Where born Marlin Falls Co

Eyes grey

State of Texas

Complexion fair

Occupation Asst Mgr P. H. Hollister & Son

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OATH.

To be executed before an officer authorized to administer oaths.

I, Gilbert C. Bean do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the State of Texas, and will support the Constitution thereof; and I do further swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully observe and obey all laws and regulations for the government of the Volunteer Guards of this State, and the orders of all officers elected or appointed over me, for the period of three years; so help me God.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 12 day of

July A. D. 1901

W.O. Breedlove
Notary Public Harris Co. Tex.

I certify that Gilbert C. Bean was admitted as a member

July 12 1901

Company Clerk of

Houston Cavalry

NOTES.—As required by rule No. 3, Chapter "Term of Service and Oath," p. 75, Regulations of 1895, this blank application must be filled up, and oath executed in duplicate, before a member is admitted in a Company of the Texas Volunteer Guards. As soon as the member is admitted, the Company Clerk will certify to the fact, and transmit one Copy of this application and oath to the Adjutant General, and retain the other Copy in the Company records.

A member of a Company, whose term of service expires, will use this blank adding the syllable "re," before "enlist."

Houston Car

Approved

H. H. Coddell

H. S. Osbury

J. H. Brannard

Bean, Gilbert C.

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**DESCRIPTIVE AND RECORD CARD
OF SOLDIER**

Bean, G.C. private
of Company A, 1st Regt. of Cav T.N.G.
Stationed at Houston

ENLISTED

Date Oct 2, 1905
Place Houston
By Whom C S Connerat

DESCRIPTION

Age 21 yrs 1 mo
Height 5 feet 11 inches
Complexion fair
Eyes grey
Hair dark
Where Born Marlin, Tex
Occupation clerk
Married or Single single
Street and No. Residence 1509 Prairie Ave
Street and No. Business
Telephone and No.
Name and Address Nearest Relative
Prior Service

INSTRUCTIONS

Enter the surname first, followed by the given name or initials and rank, as: Doe, John D., 1st Sgt. As soon as a man is enlisted, the company commander will prepare one of these cards from the enlistment paper, making all necessary notations thereon, and file it with his company records for future reference, forwarding the original enlistment paper direct to the Adjutant General. In case of enlistment for regimental, squadron or battalion N. C. S., the card will be prepared by the regimental commander and filed with his records, forwarding the enlistment paper as above. These cards are to be retained by the company or regimental commander, as the case may be, whether the man is in the service or not. One of these cards will be made from the enlistment papers and retained in the Adjutant General's Department in the case of every enlisted man.

REMARKS

(In case of discharge, death, transfer, desertion and apprehension, the date and place will be here noted; also sentences of courts martial, and any other information which may be necessary or useful for record.)

Honorably discharged

S.O. # 34

June 15-1907

I certify that this card is correct:

Commanding.

Physical Examination, Enlistment and Description

Texas National Guard

Dr. G. A.
Company _____ Regiment of Cav.

STATE OF TEXAS,

ss.

City or Town of Houston

I, G. C. Bean, born in Martin in the
State of Texas, aged 21 years and 1 months, and by occupation a
Clerk, Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have voluntarily enlisted this 2 day
of Oct, 1905 as a SOLDIER in the TEXAS NATIONAL GUARD, for the period of Three Years, unless sooner

discharged by proper authority. And do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such bounty, pay, rations, and clothing as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the State of Texas and to the United States of America; that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their enemies whomsoever, and that I will obey the orders of the Governor of Texas, and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the laws, rules and articles for the government of the military forces of the State of Texas.

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me this 2nd day of Oct, A. D. 1905

G. C. Bean
G. C. Bean
Recd. Insp. H.
Recruiting Officer.

I certify that I have minutely inspected the above named man _____ previous to his
enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that, to the best of my judgment and belief, he fulfills all
legal requirements; and that I have accepted and enlisted him into the service of the State of Texas under this contract of en-
listment as duly qualified to perform the duties of a soldier, and, in doing so, have strictly observed the regulations which
govern the Recruiting Service. This soldier is 21 years 1 months of age. Height, 5 feet 11 inches. Complexion Fair

Eyes Dark Hair Dark Born at Martin
County of Dallas State of Texas Occupation Clerk Married
or single, _____ Previous military or naval service: Dr. G. A. 1st Cav.

Remarks: _____
Residence address: 1509 Street and number P. R. Ave.
Telephone number _____ Grade or rank _____

G. C. Bean
Recd. Insp. H.
Recruiting Officer.

CONSENT IN CASE OF MINOR

I, _____, DO CERTIFY that I am the _____
of _____; that the said _____ is _____
years of age; and I do hereby freely give my consent to his enlisting as a soldier in the Texas National Guard for the period of three
years.
Given at _____ this _____ day of _____ 1905

WITNESS: _____

Physical Examination of Applicant for Enlistment in the Texas National Guard

Name

Figure and general appearance

Weight

Height

inches

Vision

Hearing

Chest and contained organs

Expiration

Inspiration

Mobility

Abdomen and contained organs

Genito-urinary apparatus

Upper extremities

Lower extremities

Skin

Personal remarks (1)

Remarks (2)

STATE OF TEXAS

Physical Examination, Enlistment and

Description

enlisted at

on the

1905

by

Regiment of

enlistment; last served in

Regiment of

Discharged

1905

INSTRUCTIONS

One of these papers will be prepared in the case of all recruits enrolled and will be forwarded to the Adjutant General of the State in the following manner:

1. When recruits are mustered in with a company on a muster-in roll, it will accompany the latter when forwarded to the Adjutant General.

2. In cases of individual enlistments by Company commanders and recruiting officers it will be forwarded direct to the Adjutant General.

3. In cases of re-enlistment, i. e., within three months from date of last discharge from the service, the declaration of the recruit will not be filled in, but will be stated on the margin whether the soldier is single or married and the number of children, if any. The prefix "re" will be added to the word "enlisted" where it occurs.

DECLARATION OF RECRUIT

I, _____, desiring to enlist in the Texas National Guard for the term of three years, DO DECLARE, That * I have neither wife nor child; that * I am of legal age to enlist, and believe myself to be physically qualified to perform the duties of an able-bodied soldier; and I do further declare that I am of good habits and character in all respects, and have never been discharged from the United States, State or any other service through sentence of either civil or military court, nor discharged from any service, civil or military, except with good character.

The name and address of wife, or nearest relative or friend _____

Given at _____ this _____ day of _____ 1905

WITNESS:

*If married or if not of legal age, erase.